LOCAL MENTION. THE WEATHER.

Forecast Till 8 p.m. Wednesday. For the District of Columbia and Mary land, partly cloudy and possibly shower this evening or tonight; variable winds. For Virginia, partly cloudy, probably showers near the coast; variable winds, Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 70; condition, 10; receiving reservoir, temperature, 74; condition at north connection, 10; condition at south connection, 36; distributing reservoir, temperature, 71; condition at in-fluent gate houe, 08; effluent gate house, 05.

FREUND'S ICE CREAM. In endless varieties, served to homes as often per week as desired.—It's the purest and most delicious made. Try it—you will use no other. Freund's, 815 10th st.

Lots, \$30 to \$50-Suburban Property, page 11. When you take up Carpets let us clean them properly, and render them moth-proof without extra charge. Write or telephone EMPIRE CARPET CLEANING WORKS,

631-635 Mass. ave. n.w. 'Phone, 425. Women's Tan and Russet Silk-plated Hose, 75c. quality, 50c. pair. WOODWARD & LOTHROP.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED, 75c. We are headquarters for the "Bay State" Mow-er, \$4.50—outlasts half-dozen "cheap" ma-chines. We sell good mowers as low as \$3.50. Chas. T. Carter & Co., 606 Pa. ave.n.w. 22 up papers your rooms with Rich Wall aper.—Latest designs—by skilled workmen.

Call or write. F. G. Nolte, 907 11th st. n.w. Gas Ranges, latest imp., to heat water for bath room, roast, bake and broil. A. Eber-ly's Sons, 718 7th st.

50 New Jewett Cold-blast Refrigerators, hard wood, charcoal packed, \$5.95. WOODWARD & LOTHROP. Electric Fans; Lights,&c. J. H. Kuehling.

Electric Fans, Electric Fans, J. H. Kueh-

Special Prices-Six-inch tin wash boilers, 40c.; 7-inch, 50c. 6-inch copper bottom, 60c.; 7-inch, 75c.; 8-inch, 85c. Two-burner vapor stoves, 33; three-burner and step, New Process, with large Russia oven, \$18. Pratt's best fluid, delivered, 10c. per gallon. Re-frigerators at cost. American tin roofing, 4 I-2 per square. JOHN MORAN, Telephone 984. 2126 Pa. ave.

Lawn and Park Swings, all styles vases settees, etc., at Morsell's, 1107 7th st. Lightning Rods, Electric Bells, 1206 Pa.ave.

CITY AND DISTRICT. AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Albaugh's Grand Opera House.—Lecocq New National Theater .- "DeWolf Hopper "Panjandrum. Academy of Music.—Hinrichs' Grand Opera Company in "Faust."

Kernan's Lyceum Theater.-Fields and Hanson's Drawing Cards.

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

River View.—Samuel J. Pentz leaves at 9:45 a.m., 1:45 and 6:45 p.m. Marshal Hall.-Macalester leaves at 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Mount Vernon,-Macalester leaves a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Mount Vernon.-By Pennsylvania railfoad every hour daily. Steamer Wakefield for Nomini creek Leonardtown and St. Clements Bay and in-termediate landings at 7 a.m.

Tally-ho Coach, 511 13th street, for Ar-engton and Cabin John bridge.

New Democratic Club. The Frederick A. Woodward Democratic

Club, composed of the office holders from the second North Carolina district, was organized last night, with W. W. Long, president; Dr. Ruffin, vice president, and S. B. Gregory, secretary. n College Exercis The graduation exercises of Martyn Col-

lege of Elocution and Oratory will be held at the Academy of Music on Monday evening. May 28. A delightfully new, refreshing and original program is promised by the management of the college. Anthropological Society.

The regular meeting of the Anthropologi-

cal Society will be held this evening at the Assembly Hall of the Cosmos Club, and the following papers will be read: Presentation of specimens, by Dr. Thomas Wilson; "The Object of Man's Existence," by Mr. Clifford Howard; "The Food Quest in Relation to the Distribution of Peoples," by Prof. Otis

Divorce Granted.

Judge Cox, yesterday afternoon, granted Mary E. J. V. D. Shipley a divorce from Chas. N. Shipley. The parties were married at Long Branch, N. J., August 6, 1872, by the Rev. Dominie Morrell, one child, Wm. F. Shipley, now being alive and supported by the complainant. The cruelty and non-support by the defendant were made the grounds of the complaint.

Pathfinder Incorporated. "The Pathfinder Publishing Company"

was incorporated today by Edwin S. Poter, Geo. D. Mitchell and B. Bristow Adams. for twenty years. The trustees for the first year are the incorporators and Eleanor R. Larrison. The object of the company is stated to be the carrying on of a news-paper and a general publishing business, at 239 North Capitol street and 306 7th street northwest. The capital stock is placed at \$10,000, in shares of \$10 each.

Margaret Ware's Will.

By the provisions of the will of the late Margaret Ware, filed today, her godchild, Fannie Ware Taylor, is made the principal beneficiary, being also named as executrix, without bonds. The following relatives of the deceased receive small amounts: Julia Cole, John Cole, Hattie Smith, Margaret Wallace, Minnie Wallace, William Ware.

Local Bank Reserves.

The reports of the twelve national banks of Washington, D. C., under the recent call of Controller Eckels, show loans and discounts amounting to \$5,893,417; lawful money reserve, \$3,010,000, of which over \$980,000 was in gold and gold treasury certificates. The individual deposits amounted to \$8,964,820, and the average reserve held was 46.85 per cent. As compared with the reports on February 28 last, there is a gain of about \$12,500 in loans and deposits, and about \$500,000 in lawful reserve. In the deposits there was a gain of over \$1,000,-000. The average reserve held increased from 41.85 per cent to 46.85 per cent.

C. G. Sloan & Co., 1407 G Street. Bell tomorrow, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., the collection of Chinese curios collected by G. Clarence Gray, who has furnished some of the best pieces in our American collections. These goods, consisting of 122 lots, are of the finest texture, quaint shapes and coloring, only found in antique Chinese porce-lains. Each piece stands on its own merit and would be of unlimited value to any collection. They are certainly attracting more attention than anything offered for sale this season. Catalogues ready.-Advt.

Valuable Property in Georgetown at

con at 5 o'clock a handsome three-story curteen-room brick residence and lot, con-taining 7,200 square feet, being No. 3112 O street. A rare chance for investment .-Stock Up Your Cellars

For the summer with best Zinfandel claret, while the price is so low—only \$3 dozen (price of "cheap" kinds). Jno. H. Magruder & Co., 1417 N. Y. ave. and 1122 Connecticut avenue.-Advt.

Auction bargains in furniture Wednesday, 10 a.m. Duley & Herring, 225 Pennsylvania avenue northwest.—Advt.

Attention is called to the sale of the entire stock, fixtures, &c., of the fine restaurant in the business portion of the city, the organization. Col. McKibbin will draw corner of 9th and E streets northwest, to take place tomorrow at 11 o'clock a.m. See shad to be planked on the oldest and best

ACTIVE CHRISTIAN WORKERS

Monthly Mass Meeting of the Epworth League Last Evening. Reports Received Showing the In-

crease in Numbers-Singing by the League Choir.

An enthusiastic and largely attended mass meeting of the Epworth League of the District was held last evening at Foundry Church, 14th and G streets. In addition to the fact that it was the usual monthly meeting of the Leaguers of the District, the day marked the fifth anniversary of the organization of this growing and important branch of the work of the Methodist Church. The members of the various chapters came to the church bearing their banners, which marked their position in the auditorium. As is customary on such occasions, the music was spirited, and formed an attractive feature of the evening's program. The singing was led by the Epworth League choir, conducted by

The first vice president of the League, Mr. James E. Pugh, who has charge of the spiritual department of the work, presided, and seated with him on the platform and also occupying chairs inside the altar rail were many of the Methodist pastors of the city. Prayer was offered by Dr. Oliver A. Brown, pastor of Foundry Church, the presiding elder, Rev. Dr. L. B. Wilson, read a selection from the Scriptures, and the secretary of the league, F. T. Israel, called the roll of the chapters, and reports were made on behalf of each by their presidents. A Growing Membership.

It was found that the total membership of the league in the District now numbers 2,962, which is an increase of 754 for the last six months.

President F. J. Metcalf of Foundry re ported a chapter of 240 members; Mr. H. A. Harding spoke for Metropolitan with a membership of 207; G. C. Huff said that the chapter at Hamline was in splendid condition, with a roll of 200 members, and W. R. Mitchell, from McKendree, said that W. R. Mitchell, from McKendree, said that they had elected two delegates to Pittsburg, with a total membership of 181. From Waugh, J. A. Edgar said that they were making a healthy progess, with an active membership of 122. W. H. Main, from Wesley Chapel, arnounced that his chapter had twenty members present, out of a total of 121, and George S. Gibson, from Grace, showed that this chapter, orfrom Grace, showed that this chapter, organized in September of '92, had grown to number 73. S. M. Croft reported from Douglas Memorial, F.A. Ruff from Gorsuch, John James from Dumbarton Avenue, J. E. Slick from North Capitol, Miss M. Emmert from Union, A. A. Hancock from Fourth Street, C. E. Williams from Twelfth Street, Jackson A. Winner from Fifteenth Street, Dr. A. M. Green from Anacostia, Arthur Baxter from Kensington, and F. A. Woodward from Epworth Church.

Power, Not Machinery.

The league rallying song, which was written by Mrs. Hattie E. Buell, was sung for the second time last evening. The air is Marching Through Georgia, and the rendition of the hymn was marked with a good deal of spirit. The president of the league, C. M. Lacey Sites, made some encouraging comments on the progress of the organization, as shown by the reports, which had been received. He also spoke in an appreciative way of the services of Mr. Pugh in behalf of the league. Rev. Dr. Merritt Hulburd, the pastor of Grace Street Church, Wilmington, Del., made an earnest and ordered links address in which he reand entertaining address, in which he re-ferred to the past of Methodism, and predicted the time when the laity would throw off many of the present restrictions of church government. He thought that the church had enough machinery and plenty of cogs and bands. What it needed was more power in the wheels and journals. He spoke of the overthrow of the despotic features of John Wesley's plans, and exressed the hope that the young members of the league would show the same spirit that their fathers displayed. After further singing a consecration service of singing and prayer was held. The next mass meeting will be held at the Metropolitan Church on the evening of June 13.

EX-GOV. HUNT DEAD.

A Forty-Niner and Active in the De-

velopment of the West. The death of Alexander C. Hunt at his residence in Tenleytown yesterday closes a career which was actively identified with many of the interesting and important features in the development of the west. For the past six years Gov. Hunt, as he was known, has been a resident of this city. His home was at 1446 Rhode Island avenue. In 1891, while at Chicago, he had an attack of paralysis, and his recovery, while partial, was never complete. His health became impaired, and he built a residence at Tenleytown which he had only recently occupied. The funeral services, which will be private, will be held tomor-row, the interment being at Congressional

Gov. Hunt was born at Hammondsport, N. Y., in the year 1829. When a child he was taken by his parents to Freeport, Ill., which became their home. Here his early life was spent and he was honored by his fellow citizens by being elected mayor, and given other places of trust. He crossed the plains in 1849, and returning in the latter part of the 50's, he went to Colorado, mak-ing his residence at Denver. He was elected a delegate to Congress from that terri-tory, and later he was appointed governor. He subsequently had charge of the Indians in that territory. He was president of the construction company of the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, and also projected the idea of the construction of the Mexican National railroad from Laredo to the City of Mexico. of Mexico. He had large property inter-ests in Texas and in Mexico. He was twice married and leaves a wife and three

A Bill in Equity.

In a bill of equity, filed yesterday afternoon by Geo. W. Mungale against Alfred W. Giddings, Armstead Brundy, jr., and Anna Brundy, the wife of the latter, the complainant prays that Giddings may be enjoined from conveying lot 28, section 9, Barry Farm, to any person, and that a trustee be appointed to convey the same to the complainant. The complainant alleges that he inherited the property from his grandfather, Armstead Brundy, who was born and raised a slave, and "that on the 21st day of December, 1891, the defend-ant, Alfred W. Giddings, and one John H. deceased, by fraud, covin and deceit, induced the said Armstead Brundy, jr., was administrator of the estate of father, to sign a deed conveying the above mentioned lot 28, in section 9, to him, the said Alfred W. Giddings, the consideration named in said deed being ten dollars, while the property is worth one thousand dol-lars." It is also alleged that Giddings, Adriaans, Brown and Brundy well knew at the time that the property was that of the complainant.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses have been issued by the clerk of the court to the following: James A. Kuldenback and Clara Y. Wrenn; Frederick D. Simmons and Blanche M. Dotson; Auction.

Dowling & Co. will sell tomorrow after- Ben M. Tyler and Mary Holmes Thompson, both of Richmond, Va.: Marcel G. Delorne of this city and Hattie S. Chalkley of Richof this city and Hattle S. Chaikley of Richmond, Va.; Charlie A. Green and Willie Wilson, both of Richmond, Va.; Chas. H. Banagan and Julia A. Cotter; John J. Bier of Bier, Md., and Ada I. Watkins of this city: Chauncey R. Botsford and Jane A. Beveridge, Joseph J. White and Allee V. Nolley of Prince George's county, Maryland.

The Forty-Niners' Reunion. Enthusiasm ripens as the time for the

California Pioneers at Marshall Hall on cellent music. The elegant Samuel J. Friday next draws nigh. The old fortyniners intend that the excursion shall be the most notable of any in the history of the organization. Col. McKibbin will draw niners intend that the excursion shall be seasoned boards Marshall Hall can boast of, the clam chowder to be served on the oc-Trustees' sale of a new three-story brick dwelling house and lot, No. 3013 Cambridge place, near 30th street, West Washington, temorrow afternoon, at 5:30 o'clock, in a

AMUSEMENTS.

Albaugh's Grand Opera House.-The tinkling fluency of melody which pervades the "Little Duke" was interpreted in a graceful and effective manner to an appreciative audience at Albaugh's last night. Manager Strakosch has in organizing his company shown good perception as to the adaptability of particular individuals to certain roles. The result is that his company is a wellbalanced one, competent to do justice not only to the conspicuous numbers of the opera, but to the music in general and to the comedy. There is an abundance of fun in "Little Duke," and the fact that it does not belong to the list of operas which have been hammered at season after season by company after company gives it a freshness that adds materially to the enjoyability of its performance. The chorus is a notably good one. It has voices and good looks, the costumes being worn with a grace which adds to their original richness of effect. A rovelty is introduced in the school room the most difficult music with an ease and accuracy which would seem possible only with matured experience, performs Gilda's song from the second act of "Rigoletto." Her voice has a purity and fullness remarkable income and act of the second act of emarkable in one of such years, and she is compared by all who are competent to speak to Patti as she sang at that age. Avery Strakosch as Fabrice, Duke of Par-thenay, merited compliments for her performance, and Charles A. Bigelow in the role of Frimousse confirmed an impression which has been growing in this city for several seasons that he is one of the best light opera comedians before the public. Alice Hosmer filled a role that was well suited to her with characteristic efficiency, and the remainder of the cast acquitted itself in a fashion which reflected credit on all con-cerned. The company will, after this week, have the benefit of the talent of the popular soubret, Miss Mamie Gilroy, who appeared in this city with so much success in the "Milk White Flag," and later with the "Black Crook." Academy.-More noticeable, perhaps, even

than the excellence of the performances is the enthusiasm which characterizes the appearance of the audiences night after night at the Academy during the short sea-son of grand opera by the Hinrichs Company, and last night, with Leoncavallo's opera "I Pagliacci," as the attraction, was no exception. It was a full house, and its enthusiasm carried it so far in the first as to demand that Canio (Mr. Guille) tear a passion to tatters the second time, as he did when first discovering the disloyalty of Nidda (Miss Koert-Kronold). This opera of Nidda (Miss Koert-Kronold). This operator of Nidda (Miss Koert-Kronold). This operator by Leoncavallo was in competition for that prize won by Mascagni's "Cavalleria," and prize won by Mascagni's "Cavalleria," and that if it had been in one act instead of two it would have won the prize. Naturally, then, comparisons will be made between the two operas, and if a vote were taken in Washington the honor would remain as it is. Yet "Pagliacci" is a fine lit-tle opera, with music through it, in which the orchestra has opportunities to divide honors with the singers. In plot it is as intense as the most Italian nature could demand, and the contrast of the real and the simulated adds to this. It is the simple story of a clown with a traveling company, whose wife is the Columbine, and she is loved by another player and she loves a rustic. The rejected lover tells the hus-band, and he finds his wife in her lover's arms. Then in the play they present to the audience a similar plot is enacted, and the audience a similar plot is enacted, and the audience, enthusiastic over the fine playing of the clown, is suddenly shocked by his plunging a knife into his wife and then into her lover as he springs from the audience to her rescue. Mr. Guille, as the husband, despite his physical ideality, is powerful in the part, both in singing and acting. Mme. Kronold as his wife is passionate and tender and scornful by turns, and at every turn artistic and realistic. Del Puente, as Tonio, the lago of the piece, in clown's uniform, is not so handsome in clown's uniform, is not so handsome as usual, but there is no disguising his voice. Mr. Storey and Mr. Ganor, the two voice. Mr. Storey and Mr. Ganor, the two remaining singers in the cast, were good. The choruses were better than heretofore and won applause on their own score, as did also the orchestra, and Director Hin-richs was compelled to appear before the curtain at the close of the second act. The

curtain at the close of the second act. The opera rests largely on the orchestration, and this is strongly descriptive.

The New National Theater.—The Hopperian school of humor proved effective, as usual, at the New National Theater last night when the jolly aggregation of musical and comedy performers, who make up the company for "Panjandrum" appeared. The rollicking some as well. rollicking songs, as well as the pretty bits of sentimental melody, were interpreted with the dash which characterizes the comwith the dash which characterizes the com-pany in which prosperity adds its stimulat-ing influence to competent management, both on the stage and in front. The cos-tumes are handsome, as usual, and the stage settings have the oriental gorgeous-ness which the public has learned to expect from a production which has Manager B. D. Stevens at the helm. "Panjandrum" be-longs strictly to the modern school of the lighter musical productions, and it has the erit of displaying De Wolf Hopper in all the glory of his pranksome avoirdupols. There is only one De Wolf Hopper. Few comedians have so humorous a personality, and none other on the stage has so daintiness sings and frisks in a way that compels the admiration of the masculine entingent, and brings susceptible feminity

to her feet in an instant.

Miss Pryor's Testimonial.—Miss Carrie
Pryor was tendered a complimentary testimonial last night at Metzerott Music Hall
by her Washington friends, and the program was an interesting and varied one. miss Pryor herself sang several numbers and joined with Mr. Sam Drane in a comedy sketch, very much to the delight of the audience. She looked exceedingly pretty and attractive, and several handsome bunches of beautiful roses were handed to her on the stage. her on the stage.

The Apollo Quartet, composed of Messrs. W. D. McFarland, P. B. Turpin, F. P. Ree-side and B. A. Ryan sang in their usually excellent manner, and were thoroughly ar preciated. Miss Alice Johnson's soprano solo was one of the features of the evening. Mr. David C. Bangs recited in faultless negro dialect "An Incident in Virginia Cam-paigning." For an encore he read from "The Man of the World," Sir Pertinax Maxcychophant's advice to his son. The comic song, "Since Katle Got Struck on the Stage," was sung by Mr. W. H. Conley, who convulsed the house by his inimitable

manner.
The Tuxedo Club rendered several selections and responded to frequent recalls, Miss Pryor, accompanied by the Tuxedo Club, sang, as a closing number, "The Su-wannee River. Prof. Cardella's orchestra gave selections throughout the program, and characteristic songs were sung by Mr. Geo. D. Scott. Mr. Walter Stetson, with a recitation, Messrs. Cullen, Hale and Mc Ernany in a banjo duet, with piano accom paniment, and Mr. Sam Drane materially ntributed to the evening's entertainment Kernan's Lyceum Theater.-An audience of large size greeted Field and Hanson's "Drawing Cards" at Kernan's Lyceum Theater last night. This company is one of the best straight variety shows on the road and contains many favorites. Field and Hanson scored the usual hit in their musical specialties. Gallagher and West were as humorous as ever; George Austin gave a clever exhibition on the slack wire; the Salambos mystified the audience by their slight-of-hand performance; Maud Beverly sang and danced exceedingly well; Cunningham and Grant, as the "Brutal Brothers," proved a strong feature, and Eldora and Curran, Charlie Case, Laud and Sharp, and Mile. Olivette all proved artists of more than ordinary brightness and ability. The performance as a whole was far above the average, and sent the audienchonie in great good humor.

Drowned in Rock Creek.

Yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock : six-year-old colored boy named Thomas Fletcher was playing near Rock creek just above the M street bridge with a number of companions, when he went too near the creek and fell overboard. His little companions, badly frightened, ran for assistance, but the victim was dead when Po-liceman McFeeny and others arrived. The body was recovered and sent to the third police station. Coroner Woodward gave a certificate of death, and later in the afternoon the remains were taken to the hom of the deceased's parents, No. 2033 L street

Wednesday Excursions to River View Tomorrow Capt. Randall will begin his popular Wednesday trips to River View Dancing will be made a special feature, eighth annual reunion of the Society of and Esputa's fine band will discourse ex-Pentz, with flying flags and new dress of paint, will make three trips, leaving at May day in the country.

Equal Rights League.

The National Equal Rights League began a three days' convention today at Metrodweining house and lot, Wo. 3013 Cambridge place, near 3014 street, West Washington, temorrow afternoon, at 5:30 o'clock, in a rapidly improving section. No better opportunity could be afforded for securing a modular to the galety of the event, are booked for addresses.

| China and lot, Wo. 3013 Cambridge places, with street in the California wines, west. Frederick Douglass, John R. Lynch, Justice to the treatment of gentlemen exclusively.

| Work always first-class. | Work always first-cla

Interesting Discussions That Will Take Place-Large Number of Dele-

The tenth national convention of the United States will be held in this city, beginning its sessions in the hearing room of the interstate commerce commission, 1817 F street northwest, tomorrow at 10 o'clock call the convention to order.

Mr. Carroll D. Wright, United States com missioner of labor, will deliver the address New York. of welcome.

The morning sessions will be devoted to reports as to the current work of bureaus and discussions thereupon, the election of officers and such other business as may properly be brought before the convention and will be held upon Wednesday and Thursday, within such hours as the convention may determine. The afternoon of each day may be devoted to inspection of such statistical offices of the national government at Washington as the convention may select, for the purpose of examination of methods, &c. Friday, May 18, may, if desired, be devoted to an excursion to Mount Vernon, and the Soldiers' Home, Arlington Straw Hat that \$1.00 will buy, come to us Heights and other points of interest in the (We've got it.) HENRY FRANC & SON Heights and other points of interest in the city may be visited by delegates at such times as may be arranged after the convention assembles. The executive commit-tee have thought best to arrange no formal tion in aroma, flavor, richness and diges program, but to leave the convention free to tibility. take such action as it may desire, within the limits above outlined

Under the rules adopted by the national association at Denver, May 24, 1892, which remain in force so far as applicable until changed, commissioners and chiefs of state and national bureaus of labor and industrial statistics, their deputies and chief clerks, are eligible to active membership in the association. All ex-commissioners and ex-deputies of such bureaus are also exofficio members, entitled to all rights, except election to office. The cost of membership in the association was fixed at \$5 per year for each state represented, and as much more as is necessary to meet the maintenance of the association, within a maximum limit of \$10. The convention which it was proposed to hold at Albany. N. Y., in 1893, was unavoidably postponed, and the present convention is called by the executive committee, under the instructions of a conference of chiefs and commissioners held in Chicago in September, 1893. It is expected that there will be a full attendance at Washington of all who are eligible to membership, in order that the sessions of the convention may be mutually profitable in extending our acquaintanceship and benefiting our work. It is suggested that it would be well to reserve rooms by early prior notice, in order to secure satisfactory

States and Territories Represented. sented as follows:

Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Missouri, Ohio, New Jersey, Illinois, Indiana, New York, California, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Maryland, Kansas, Rhode Island, Nebraska, North Carolina, Maine, Minnesota, Colorado, Texas, West Virginia, South Dakota, North Dakota, Idaho, Utah, Tennessee, New Mexico, Montana, New

The Scott Assignment.

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA

so severely that I could just get about, but was not able to do anything. This complaint followed me until I thought I must give up my place and # my14

try it. The first bottle helped me a good deal, and I was so much better that I stopped taking it for a while. My trouble came on again and I took another bottle, which cured me entirely." JAMES F. COFRIN, Northfield, Vt.

cured." IDA M. BAUDIE, Nanticoke, N. Y. HOOD'S PILLS become the favorite cathartic,

with every one who tries them. 25c. per box.

BLOOD POISONING AND EVERY HUMOR OF the blood, skin and scalp, with loss of hair, waether simple, scrofulous, ulcerative, or hereditary, speedily, permanently and economically cured by CUTICURA REMEDIES, when the best physicians and all other remedies fail. Complete home treatment for every humor. Sold every

Vaccine Virus! Fresh Daily! Only roc. Pt.

Martin's or Alexander's.

MERTZ'S Modern Pharmacy.

Cor. 11th and F Sts. N.W.

CARLETON.

Over twenty-live years' experience.
THIRD YEAR AT PRESENT ADDRESS.
Carleton treats with the skill born of expe

Nervous Debility Special Diseases. Gentlemen Exclusively

Inflammation, Eruptions, Bladder, Blotches, Kidneys, Swellings, Urinary Sediment, Confused Ideas, Despondency.

Did you sow the wind? Have you reaped the whirlwind? Are you beginning to lose your grip?

Do you realize that you are beginning to feel old before your time?

LABOR COMMISSIONERS

Their Tenth Annual Convention Will Begin Here Tomorrow.

gates Expected to Be Present.

pation; and constipation is officials of bureaus of labor statistics in the the most frequent cause of

Who Are Delegates.

The states and territories to be repre-

Geo. W. and Arthur L. Scott, trading as the Geo. W. Scott Company, cigars and tobacco, at 4 1-2 street and Pennsylvania avenue, yesterday afternoon, made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, to Arthur A. Birney. The assets are placed at \$14,000 and the Habilities at \$24,682.35.

After Severe Illness

FULL HEALTH AND STRENGTH GIVEN BY

"Gentlemen:-About four years ago I had the measies very severely. Upon coming out I was left in a very bad condition, being very weak. I tried to drive team, but could not do the work.

CHRONIC DIARRHOEA

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

"Whooping cough left my stomach very bad. I was persuaded by a friend to try Hood's Sarsaparills, and after taking two bottles I was entirely

-There is no appreciable differ-ence between them. A majority of our city physicians prefer Alex-ander's. You will notice that the price of Vaccine Virus has always been 20c., until we began adver-tising it at 10c.; just one-half the other druggists' prices. Now some of them have followed us as usual and are selling it at 10c. reduand are selling it at 10c. point.
We sell more of it probably than
all the other druggists combined,
hence we are receiving fresh twice
a day.

507 12TH ST. N.W. SURGEON SPECIALIST.

before your time?

Is life losing its charms for you?

Do you feel unfit for business or society?

Consult Dr. Carleton. Special experience is absolutely necessary. He has it, and he is positively the only physician in Washington who !imits his practice to the treatment of gentlemen exclusively. Scientific, SKILLFUL, SUCCESSFUL Treatment guaranteed.

Beecham's Pills are for biliousness, bilious headache, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid Liver, dizziness, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, loss of appetite, sallow skin. when caused by consti-

all of them. Books free; pills 25c. At Vice President S. V. Matthews will drug stores, or write B. F. Allen Co., 365 Canal St.,

CITY ITEMS.

We Have Just Finished Bottling We Have Just Finished Bottling some Fine Napa Valley Claret. We are prepared to make low prices—say 5 qt. bottles for \$1; \$2.25 per doz. It is an elegant wire, and sold with our guarantee. Pure Rye Whisky, 5 years old, 65c. qt.; Golden Catawba, 25c. bot.; Lime Julce, 25c.; Process Flour, \$1, 55c. and 30c. sk.

1t P. R. WILSON, 134 7th st. n.w.

If You Don't Care About the Style and quality of your Straw Hat, go eny-where for it. BUT, if you want the Best cor. 7th and D. Phillips' Digestible Cocon is Perfec-

Ladies and Dressmakers! Call and see the "Quick On" at the notion counters of leading stores. my8-1m my8-1m

HE MONUMENTAL. Fashion Leaders in Fine Millinery. Our success has been well earned. The good results are shared by our

Reduction in Trimmed Hats.

prices of our Trimmed Hats, as follows: \$3; WERE \$5. \$5; WERE \$7. \$8; WERE \$12. \$12; WERE \$18. 120 DOZEN TRIMMED AND UNTRIM-MED HATS FOR LADIES AND Corsisting of Fancy Swiss, English

Braids, Mailon, Milan.Chinese,Legborn. Fine Trimmed SAILORS, &c., from Flower Season. Our Flower display is marvelously

RICH RIBBON BARGAIN for this

939 F St. N.W.

********* ****************

my14-6t*

Smallpox

—is in the city. It may or may not mean an epidemic. It is best to be prepared for any energency. Get vaccinated, and clean up the cellars &c., and sprinkle chloride of lime about the place. Vaccine Virus

Here &c. Pt. -notice that many draggists ask 20c., and a few so-called "cutters" ask 10c. Chloride of Lime.

IIC. lb. Instead of ISC. Mackall Bros. & Flemer.

Cor. 14th & P Sts. N.W. And oth & H Sts. N.E.

Poor rubber goods are dear at any price, Rubber Hose

All sizes, all grades, all kinds, for garden, atreet and mill use, &c.

HOSE REELS, NOZZLES, FIXTURES,

HOSE REPAIRED.

We are headquarters for these goods.

Examine our stock before you buy. Goodyear Rubber Co., RUBBER GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION . my3-1m MELVILLE LINDSAY, Mgr.

DON'T

contempt. Use some remedy to cure it at once, for the next step onward is catarrh. Many of th

TRIFLE

Don't trifle with your health. If you have any reason to suppose that you have catarrh, you are always at liberty to consult me free, and either verify or allay your suspicions.

Among the first symptoms of catarrh are these:

A watery discharge, constant sniffling, stuffness of the nostrils, pain over the eyes and a drowsy by a thick offensive discharge, mixed with blood, YOUR

HEALTH. sultation will be free of all expense to you. If you should then decide to intrust your case to my known to science or experience will be omitted from your treatment. Moderate charges.

Dr. C. M. JORDAN, Graduate of the Medical Department of the Uni-1421 F St. N.W. SPECIALTIES-DISEASES OF THE NOSE.

THROAT, LUNGS AND EAR.

Consultation free.
Office Hours—9 to 11 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 6 to 8 o.m. Sundays—9 to 12 m.

The Latest. :A Cooler Without Ice. Stone Cooling Dish Cover, for keeping butter, &c., sweet and cool, without using ice. Ask to see it. Price Natural Stone

& Jewett Filters.

********* Nervous, Mental

Special Diseases, NERVOUS DEBILITY, DECAY OF BODY AND MIND, WEAK EYES, LACK OF ENERGY,

LACK OF ENERGY,
IMPOVERISHED BLOOD,
HEADACHE, WAKEFULNESS,
DESPONDENCY,
WEAK MEMORY,
DEFECTIVE VITALITY,
PROSTRATION,
NEURALGIA,
EPILEPSY,
PARALYSIS

PARALYSIS, STOMACH AND LIVER DIS-ORDERS when caused from DISEASES .: NERVOUS SYSTEM WHICH RENDER LIFE MIS-

ERABLE, ARE PRIVATELY, SAFELY AND PERMANENT-LY CURED at United States Academy

Medicine and Surgery

Office Hours-Mondays. Wednesdays and Fridays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. only; Tues-days, Thursdays and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.; Sundays, 10 to

my12115

Carmen What We Will Do

For Thee Hain't got haff enuff spase ter tole yer allber, heah am er fu pinters what spe volumes to de wise-beah me BOYS' TWO-PIECE SUITS (Sizes 4 to 14 years),

Double-breasted Jackets......\$2.50. Cheviot, Tweed and Cassimere Suits same sizes, strictly all wool-Dou-\$2.98.

BOYS' THREE-PIECE SUITS, \$3.50, \$3.87, 4.50, 4.75.

Checks, Plaids, Stripes, Mixtures, Single an Dorble-breasted Sack Coats and Cutaway Frod Coats-cassimeres, cheviots, tweeds, &c \$7.50 a Suit. Our constant "hammering" at high-flyers and their fancy prices has forced many a one to come off his "high hoss" and open his batteries from our standpoint—but the guns were soon silenced

SUITS OF CLOTHES FOR MEN,

credit, to follow our lead-credit buyers are not in it with us-they pay more for the goods than LOOK AT OUR

Sto Suits. No such values were ever shown in this market-fact which can be attered by hundreds of care ful and close buyers—who scoured the town in the vain effort to duplicate them. We are perfectly calm and serene—charmed with the business of the present—and decidedly satisfied with the future outlook.

TEN PER CENT CLOTH-ING HOUSE. 927 and 929 7th St. N.W.,

Strictly One Price. Open evenings till 7. OFFICE COATS, stripes and checks, on sale Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, from 7 to 10 o'clock.

PRICE, 25c.

-or Not Guilty? Can you sing "Home, Sweet Home"because you haven't the spot cash to

pay for what you need? You're fool-

Equitable

System

\$Guilty

Is a bridge that will carry you over your temporary financial embarrassment-and won't ask a cent "toll," either. It's as simple as 'two and two"-you pick just what FURNI-TURE, CARPETS, MATTINGS, DRAP-ERIES, REFRIGERATORS, BABY CARRIAGE, Etc., you choose-and whether it amounts to \$1 or \$100, you can arrange with us to pay something weekly or monthly. You're in possession at once-and we've got your promise. That's all we need.

House &

Herrmann. 917, 919, 921 and 923 7th St. 636 Mass. Ave.

The Best Shirts. BLEMISHES.

Š-------

We haven't put the superiorities of our 65c. Shirt before you half strong enough. In the first place, this shirt is made of good quality of muslin—it has linen bosom, neck and cuff bands— it is thoroughly made and reinforced. It comes in all neck sizes, with 5 lengths of sleeves to each. Branch Bait. Shirt Factory. 931 9th St., N. Y. AVE. <----

Leads The World. Libbey's American Cut Glass. Highest Award World's Fair.

If you want the firest quality Cut
Glass, buy goods having our trade
mark.

M. W. Beveridge,

PIANOS AND ORGANS. School Teacher's

Free Trip to Europe.

May 15, 1894.

For the 30-day trip to Europe to be preschted the most popular school teacher in the District by the

PIANO STORAGE.

Everything Points

To one conclusion—that for excellence of tone, touch and workmanship, the FISCHER PIANOS are leaders. No chance of a poor purchase in buying Fischer Pianos. They're all good. The confidence the public has in them is their best testimonial. Easy terms.

THE PIANO EXCHANGE, 913 Pa. ave.

Grand, Upright Pianos. and Square PIANOS FOR RENT. SECOND-HAND PIANOS. including some of our own make, but slightly used. Tuning by experienced workmen.

Every Married Woman

Our Peerless Credit System

Matting

Come next and we are "right at home" there, too—we sell the Gurney—because it's the best Refrigerator ever sold for the price-thirty sizes to choose from. Baby Carriages

GROGAN'S

MAMMOTH

good teeth at that price, but that's his lookout. We make the very best

voted exclusively to the treatment of the fkin, Scalp and Blood and the removal of

WARTS, FRECKLES OILY SKIN. SCARS, BLACK HEADS, AND ALL BLEMISHES

and the Royal University of Vienna. MERTZ BLDG., COR. 11TH AND F STS. Consultation free. mh10-cotf

W. P. VAN WICKLE, 1225 PA. AVE

liere is a rare bargain for some early caller. Left with us to sell a fine \$350 Upright Plane in good condition. We were instructed to ofter it to responsible party for \$475 or terms of \$10 down and \$5 monthly. Plush steel goes with it.

Planos carefully moved by experience draymen, who make a specialty of mov-ing pianos. Stored in rooms of uniform temperature. \$1 month up. Bradbury Piano Co.,

Sanders & Stayman, 034 F SACRIFICED FOR QUICK CASH-A SUPERB Toned Upright Grand Piano; in elegant condition;

the most durable PIANO made; to the musical profession; constructs most artistic designs and in all kin most cases. Established more than present the contract of the contract

WM, KNABE & CO., 817 Penna, ave

Likes to have her house well furnished, but a scarcity of cash many times steps in and defeats such an ambition. We want to say to the housekeepers of Washington that cash isn't necessary in the furnishing of a house-nor is it necessary in obtaining low prices. for want of ammunition. It requires CASH, not

Makes a plaything of furniture bills—a little money once a week or once a month wipes them out so easily that it is a pleasure to billy. No notes to sign, no such thing as laterest—just a plain, simple promise. Credit with us is bothing more or less than ACCOMMODATION.

Refrigerators

GREDIT HOUSE. 819, 821, 623 TTH ST. N.W., BET. H AND I STS.

rubber plate teeth for \$S a set. We take merely what we earn. Fancy prices and gifts "are not dreamt

S Dental OAss'n,

Cor. 7th and D n.w.

Facial Blemishes SUPERFLUOUS HAIR, ACNE. PIMPLES, MOLES, ECZEMA.

Dr. Hepburn, DERMATOLOGIST Graduate of Jefferson Med. Col., Phila.,

PHONE wearing apparel a specialty. Parasols, Gloves, Slippers, Ties, Gowns-in fact, anything that will admit of cleaning. Work always first-class. Prices extensive products.

BALLOT.

For

RARE BARGAIN.

1225 Pa. Ave.

can be seen at

ing quality remarkable; solidity the solidity of the solidity in the solidity of the solidity

Leads in the list of wants, just now, and our enormous stock is a paradise for buyers-hundreds of the newest patterns in cottor warp "inserted" and other reliable grades.

Are here in endiess variety—almost a hundred patterns—they are the famous Heywood and Wakefield makes. Prices begin at \$2.50 and stop at \$50—plenty of stopping places between.

Compare these credit prices with the cash prices of other stores;
T-piece Parlor Suite, plush or haircloth, \$22.50.

Solid Oak Bed Room Suite, \$13.
Spiendid Brussels Carpet, 50c. per yard. Reliable Ingrain Carpet, 50c. per yard. All Carpet made and laid free of cost.

No charge for waste in matching figures.
Solid Oak Extension Table, \$3.50. Sold elsewhere for \$5.

40-pound Hair Mattress, \$7. Sold elsewhere for \$12.

Woven Wire Springs, \$1.75. Sold elsewhere for \$3.00.

ALL, ON EASY WEEKLY OR MONTHLY PAYMENTS.

"Scientific Dentistry at Moderate Prices." Gift Giving, Like charity, should begin at home. Don't give a big price for dental work. All that you pay over \$8 for a set of teeth is a clear gift to the dentist. Perhaps he can make

> of in our philosophy." Extracting25c. With gas or zono 50c.

********** FACIAL

RED NOSE. TATTOO MARKS. RED VEINS.

Clean-Cleaning-Cleaned.

owner has only used it five months; fine standard make; cost \$400; immediate sale; ouly \$225 cash;

YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO MISS THIS BARGAIN, One fine Upright Piano, mahogany finish, excellent tone, repeating touch, three pedals, and nicely finished; only \$220; \$10 cash and \$10 per month. If you want this piano, come quick, we won't keep it long. HUGO WORCH & CO., 025 7th street n.w. Planos moved and packed. myb "EXCELLENT IN EVERY PARTICULAR;" "SING-ing quality remarkable;" "solidity of const.ue